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AF PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 08702.0079-02000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Celeste et al.) Group Art Unit: 1646
Application No.: 09/945,182) Examiner: Elizabeth Kemmerer
Filed: August 31, 2001)
For: TENDON-INDUCING)
COMPOSITIONS)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of March 12, 2003. The items checked below are appropriate:

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for a [number] month(s) extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. The fee of \$[Fee] for the Extension is enclosed.

The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	4	-	20	0	x \$ 18	\$ 0
Indep.	4	-	3	1	x \$ 84	84
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim(s)					+\$280	0
					Subtotal	\$ 84
					Reduction by ½ if small entity	- 0
					TOTAL	\$ 84

A fee of \$84.00 to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this reply is enclosed.
 A check for \$84.00 to cover the above fee is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Dated: June 2, 2003

By: 
Leslie A. McDonell
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